## Statement

*State wise details of NHDP*

(Length in Km.)

| Sl. No. | Name of State | Golden Quadrilateral | Corridors | | Corridors Total | Grand Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | North-South | East-West | | |
| 1. | Andhra Pradesh | 1014 | 753 | — | 753 | 1767 |
| 2. | Assam | — | — | 758 | 758 | 758 |
| 3. | Bihar | 204 | — | 517 | 517 | 721 |
| 4. | Jharkhand | 192 | — | — | — | 192 |
| 5. | Delhi | 25 | 34 | — | 34 | 59 |
| 6. | Gujarat | 485 | — | 654 | 654 | 1139 |
| 7. | Haryana | 152 | 180 | — | 180 | 332 |
| 8. | Himachal Pradesh | — | 14 | — | 14 | 14 |
| 9. | Jammu & Kashmir | — | 405 | — | 405 | 405 |
| 10. | Karnataka | 623 | 125 | — | 125 | 748 |
| 11. | Kerala | — | 160 | — | 160 | 160 |
| 12. | Madhya Pradesh | — | 524 | 142 | 666 | 666 |
| 13. | Maharashtra | 487 | 232 | — | 232 | 720 |
| 14. | Orissa | 440 | — | — | — | 440 |
| 15. | Punjab | — | 296 | — | 296 | 298 |
| 16. | Rajasthan | 732 | 32 | 480 | 512 | 1244 |
| 17. | Tamil Nadu | 342 | 851 | — | 851 | 1193 |
| 18. | Uttar Pradesh | 756 | 268 | 548 | 818 | 1572 |
| 19. | West Bengal | 406 | — | 366 | 366 | 772 |
| | TOTAL: | 5858 | 3874 | 3465 | 7341 | *13200 |

*As per survey against the existing NHDP length of 13252 Km.

### National Highway Express Project

3480. MIRZA ABDUL RASHID: Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a National Highway Express Project is under construction from Kashmir to Kanyakumari;

(b) whether it is also a fact that this project has been started from Kanyakumari to Kashmir, but not from Kashmir to Kanyakumari;

(c) whether Government propose to start this project from Kashmir to Kanyakumari;

(d) whether it is a fact that the National Highways Authority of India has proposed four-lanes Road (Highway) from Jammu to Srinagar as a part of the National Highway Project; and

(e) if so, the quantum of amount earmarked for the years 2000 and 2001 and by when this project would be completed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (MAJ. GEN. (RETD.) B. C. KHANDURI): (a) As part of National Highway Development Project (NHDP), the North-South corridor connecting Srinagar to Kanyakumari is proposed to be developed into four-lanes.

(b) and (c) The project has neither been started from Kanyakumari end nor from Kashmir end. The work has been taken up on some intermediate sections. Further the work on this corridor will be taken up for implementation in phases, depending upon the traffic and availability of right-of-way.

(d) Yes, Sir.

(e) An amount of Rs. 20 crore has been earmarked for the current year for section km 80 to 97.2 of NH 1A. The entire North-South corridor component of NHDP is targeted to be completed by December 2007.

**Construction of National Highways in North-Eastern Region**

3481. SHRI ONWARD L. NONGTDU: Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the effective steps taken by Government for construction and maintenance of various National Highways in the North-Eastern Region;

(b) the estimated cost involved therein; and

(c) the details of the funds spent so far during the last three years on construction and maintenance of NHs in the North-Eastern Region?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (MAJ. GEN. (RETD.) B. C. KHANDURI): (a) For development of various National Highways in the North Eastern region, Annual Plans are prepared and the works are identified based on their *inter se* priority of requirements and overall allocation. An amount equal to 10% of the gross budgetary support for the Ministry is allocated